

Minutes for Greenway Committee Meeting May 26, 2021

Attendees: Larry Bieri, Monica Moll, Ronny Hardaway

The meeting was called to order at 4:06 PM.

- Minutes from 04/28/2021 were approved.
- Hardaway gave a brief status of the proposed Sidewalk Policy. The policy will be provided to the trustees at a future meeting for discussion and approval. There was discussion about how and where the policy would be enforced.
- Attendees discussed the status of the proposed Tree Ordinance that is still in work. The planning board will review and forward to the trustees for discussion and approval.
- Attendees discussed the status of the Greenway Plan updates:
 - Attendees reviewed the Google Map created by Bieri with input from Hardaway. A formal review of the online map(s) for the plan should be undertaken before the next meeting. This online map will be provided via a link to a Village webpage.
 - Friends of Park list of responsibilities will be completed by Hardaway.
 - Attendees asked about the status of additional park benches – Hardaway to ask John Courtney about these.
 - Park guidelines signs need to be standardized.
 - Hardaway to research regional parks and trails resources for adding Village data.
 - Add references to Sidewalk Policy and Tree Ordinance in the updated plan.
 - Hardaway to introduce resolution to trustees to make the Greenway Committee and standing committee.
 - Village should work with the Town of Lansing on future connecting trails.
 - The committee will begin the formal review of the updated Plan before or at the June committee meeting.
- Attendees discussed the status of the hemlock trees left from the Maguire Nissan development. The DPW staff will plant the trees in proper locations within the Village. They will need to be monitored for disease and decay.
- Moll expressed concern about the milkweed cutbacks at the Dart Drive entrance to the Marian Hartill Park trail. Hardaway explained that they are cutback to allow pedestrians better visibility of Dart Drive traffic when exiting the trail. It is a safety precaution.
- There was a brief discussion about the feasibility of putting a pedestrian bridge over Route 13 between Dart Drive and Dankert Park.
- Hardaway briefly discussed the plans for the Dart Drive street, sidewalk, and streetlight project planned for this budget year.

- Meeting was adjourned at 5:00 PM.